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Excellency:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your note of August 12, 1950 stating that the Belgian Legislative Houses have decreed that the exercise of the King's constitutional powers shall be vested upon His Royal Highness Prince Baudouin. It is noted that His Royal Highness took the oath on August 11 and has entered upon his duties.

The information contained in your note has been forwarded to the White House for the information of the President.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

For the Secretary of State:

George W. Perkins

His Excellency

Baron Silvercruys,

Belgian Ambassador.

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